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The references were cited in an Office Action in the corresponding German application.

German reference DE 72 34 344 U was cited by the German Examiner as showing the features of dependent claims 3, 4 and 6.

German reference DE 196 42 157 C1 and French reference FR 1 508 695 A were not cited against claims by the German Examiner.

With the submission of this admitted prior art, applicant thus complies with the duty of disclosure as set forth at 37 CFR 1.56.

Respectfully submitted,

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